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- 1. Irati, a small, growing town near Curitiba, is rapidly becoming a center of Communist Parky of Brazil (PCB) and Polish Communist activity. Propaganda is sent from the Polish Consulate in Curitiba to Irati via railread workers.\* Packages containing propaganda material had been sent by rail until it was discovered that women workers in the Irati Post Office had learned the names of Communist agitators and had been destroying all propaganda material sent to them.
- 2. Antonio Ferreira, Jr., and Pedro Lotchakowski, who arrived in Irati in late December 1943, organized a clandestine Communist cell composed of the following persons:

Vigilio Trevisan

Clement Obys

Altino Miranda Julio Adamowicz Henrique Body and daughter Carmelina

Waldemar Spitzer Euclydes Avila

The following individuals are also important Communists in Irati:

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Joaquim Cirino Joaquim Cirino Dobrzanski (fnu) Estevao Sansao Lili Floriani Kazubek (fnu)

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